

## SENATE FIGHT IN NEW MEXICO NATIONAL TEST

Democrats Expect Vote  
Sept. 20 to Repudiate G.  
O. P. Administration.

New Mexico's Senatorial election September 20, is being exploited by the Democratic party as the first real test of popular reaction to six months of Republican rule.

Its result will exercise an important influence on the decisions of the Democratic National Committee to meet here the middle of October to draft definite plans for the next Congressional campaign. Three national issues have been injected into the New Mexico campaign by the Democrats—the Esch-Cummins railroad bill, the Newberry election case and the alleged reactionary control of Congress under Republican leadership.

Senator H. O. Burton appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of former Senator Fall, when he accepted a Cabinet portfolio, is the Republican nominee. Richard H. Hanna, prominent lawyer, for seven years on the State Supreme court and former chief justice of that bench, is the Democratic nominee.

## THIRD CANDIDATE MEXICAN.

The waters have been muddied somewhat and, for that reason, the full significance of the result somewhat impaired, so far as the Democrats are concerned, by the presence of a third candidate in the person of Apollonio Sena, a Mexican, nominated as an independent Republican candidate. There is a heavy Mexican population in the State and 75 per cent of this is Republican. For that reason Sena is expected to poll a heavy vote.

## DOWNEY RESUMES TRAINING WORK

NEW YORK N. Y., Sept. 1.—Bryan Downey resumed his training operations this afternoon after a one-day "layoff." The broad-shouldered Columbus scrapper may be somewhat short on style but he surely is long on willingness. For his jam with Johnny Wilson at Tex Rickard's arena in Jersey City next Monday afternoon, Downey is fitting himself to set a grueling pace. Never pretending to be anything but a tear-in performer, Downey is going through his self-style program, and there ought to be some real fireworks when he faces Johnny Wilson for the midweight title on Labor Day.

Downey donned the gloves for a 2-round journey with Johnny Papke, who hurls them from the south side as does Wilson. This was a pippin of a mix up.

Johnny Wilson continued his work of preparation at Manhasset, L. I. With his corps of boxing partners the midweight champion went through his daily sprints pulling up in good form.

## STARVING MOTHER AND TOTS INHABIT "DEATH VILLAGE"

Russian Relief Envoys Find Desolation in  
Heart of Samara State.

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Her face was wrinkled and gaunt, but her eyes were piercing. She wore a man's flannel shirt and a much patched but clean skirt, made of a material resembling Tour sack. Her stockings were feet were incased in home-made cloth slippers which were much worn. A rapid exchange of Russian between the interpreter and the woman was followed by the latter's translation of her reply.

"Why do you see no one in the village? Because all are too weak to move about except in case of absolute necessity. I have not tasted real black bread since Easter. Where is my husband? He died three weeks ago here in the bed in the corner. It was so thin—then came vomiting. The doctor forbade all else to touch him. I washed and buried him—I and my children."

Our eyes followed the final wave of her hand toward the ceiling over the edge of which peered four pairs of eyes—four white faces—four small mouths—muzzling listlessly on sunflower seeds. The false ceiling located over the house was gelling the full benefit of the lack of ventilation the drying socks and clothes on the oven door smelled clean—no dirt was apparent.

Wenker, Day By Day.  
"We shall all follow him soon," she continued. "We sit and wait and grow weaker every day. We have hunted long for food—there is no more. We have eaten grass."

## FUNERAL OF LIEUT. BROWN WEDNESDAY

The funeral of Lieut. Wilmarth Brown, of the Ninth Infantry, who was killed in France, will be held at Arlington on September 7 at 1:30 p. m. Lieut. Brown was a graduate of George Washington University. At the outbreak of the war he resigned his position as secretary to Gen. Scott and entered a training camp, graduating as first lieutenant. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Delphine W. Brown, 215 South Clifton Terrace.

News of the death in Freeport, Ill., of Mrs. Agnes Wesson, wife of Ernest J. Wesson, was received in Washington yesterday. She had been ill only a short time. The family moved to Freeport two years ago, where Mr. Wesson went to take a position with the W. T. Rawleigh Company, manufacturers of medicinal products. Funeral services were held in Freeport Wednesday.

## BIRTHS.

White.  
George E. and Agnes E. Spalding, girl, Charles A. and Adelaide Higgins, girl, Clarence T. and Frances Parker, boy, Robert V. and Hazel Jamison, girl, James M. and Maud Thompson, girl, William E. and Erlene Warner, girl, Nicholas and Antonia Manthos, boy, Ira B. and Thelma B. Mullis, boy, Jarrett M. and Helen M. Huddleston, boy, Edgar H. and Mary Carver, boy, Louis Harry H. St. John, boy, Samuel and Julia Elsborg, girl, Frederick W. and Catherine A. Koerber, girl.  
Colored.  
Karl T. and Helen P. Platt, girl, William D. and Mable S. Noble, girl, Seary and Theresa O. Giles, boy, James C. and Elizabeth Darby, boy, Joseph and Ellen Catlett, boy, Milton and Loreta Henry, girl, Robert L. and Francis E. Shepherd, girl, George N. and Elizabeth A. Hisey, boy, George W. and Annie L. Webb, boy, John and Sophie Dietz, boy.

Colored.  
Clarence and Alice Fletcher, boy, Clarence R. and Mary J. Bell, girl, Jessie L. and Nioma Smith, boy, George and Nannie Newman, girl, Junious and Lucy Anderson, girl.

straw, weeds, the bark of trees and roots and we still eat these things that we never would have fed our cattle—but there is no food in them. Here is our bread."

She produced a damp black chunk of sour smelling punk from which protruded wisps of straw and green and yellow fiber.

"It is made from melon rinds dried in the oven and then ground," she explained. "It fills, but it does not feed. The children do not know, but I do—each day they grow thinner. Every morning I see them more wasted. They ask me for bread and this is all that I have to give them."

Her chin quivered as she summoned her strength to support her peasant pride that forbade weeping. The mother's eyes glistened, but the tears were suppressed as the heart's emotion was denied an outlet.

We visited other huts in the village of which once was a village collecting 250 families of 1,000 souls. Now it is reduced almost one-third by starvation, cholera, typhus and flight. Some families still maintained a skeleton cow or horse which they refused to devour for food because "it would not be Christian" to destroy animals needed for the next harvest, which none of these villagers are likely to live to see.

More Starving People.  
Although the village is comprised of a single clan, speaking a language of its own, it resembled in houses, and customs of the people, a number of others which we visited today.

The news of strangers' arrival brought several dozen villagers to their windows and doors, among them the village doctor, who, himself, was yellow and shrunken almost to a point where his shell rimmed spectacles seemed several sizes too large and his umbrella, looked almost as thick as his body.

"There is nothing that I can do," he said. "They ask for medicine. It is not medicine that they need, but food and there is none. These fields are bare for nine miles. Some of the people go out into the fields and die of exhaustion. They never come back. We hear of them no more. It saves the painful exertion of burial. I do not belong here. I am a medical professor at Samara. The Soviet mobilized me and sent me here to care for these people, but I have nothing to feed them and I know of no way that anything can be sent here. I have been ordered to remain, so I expect to die with them and I do not think that my death is more than a month away. I am old and it does not matter, but it is the children that seem to die first. They drop over in the street. We old ones just live on—grasping our way to death by day and dreaming of it at night. God pity us!" (Copyright, 1921.)

## FRECKLE-FACE

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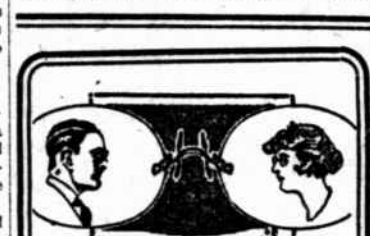
## ALVIN G. BELT DIES AFTER ILLNESS OF ABOUT 2 MONTHS

Was Long Prominent in  
Local Civic and Democratic Circles.

Alvin G. Belt, local real estate dealer and leader in Democratic party circles in Washington, died at 5 o'clock last evening at his residence, 1425 Columbia road northwest, following an illness of about two months.

Mr. Belt was born in Washington in 1874, and attended local public schools. He was engaged in real estate as senior member of the firm of O'Brien and Company until 1917, when he was appointed assistant assessor of the District.

Upon the creation of the office of Alien Property Custodian, he was appointed director of administration of the office, serving under A. Mitchell Palmer. Mr. Belt was secretary to the second Wilson and Marshall inaugural committee, headed by Col. Robert N. Harper. He was sent to the Democratic convention in San Francisco last year as a delegate from the District, where he supported former Attorney



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General Palmer for the Presidential nomination.  
Mr. Belt was an active member of the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Greenberry Belt, his widow, Mrs. Laura V. Belt, and three children, John, Ridgely and Virginia. Alvin Belt's death follows closely that of his brother, Cornelius M. Belt, Washington Patent attorney, who was taken ill while in Atlantic City and died at Garfield Hospital August 24.

## Shaner-Fielder Wedding.

LYNCHBURG Va., Sept. 1.—Miss Ethel Lucille Shaner, daughter of J. L. Shaner, of Madison Heights, and Herbert Harrison Fielder, of this city, were married Monday afternoon at the Baptist parsonage at Amherst, the Rev. J. H. Franklin officiating. They will live in this city.

## Hon. Marcus Garvey

Provisional President of Africa, President General of the Universal Negro College, and President of the Black Star Line Steamship Company, will speak at the Cadets' Army on O. C., between 7th and 8th St. N.W., Friday night, September 2, 1921, at 7:30 P. M. ALL NEGROES WELCOME. ADMISSION FREE.

## Huge Enrollment As Schools Open In Charlottesville

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